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The Honorable Judge Gabriel W. Gorenstein United States Magistrate Judge United States District Court, S.D.N. Y. 500 Pearl Street 10007, N.Y., N.Y.



James Lastra v. Columbia University 07cv7479 Re: Request for an enlargement of time to discuss stay of discovery with Defendant's counsel, Laura Barbieri

Dear Judge Gorenstein:

I am the Plaintiff pro se in the above entitled action. I write to apprise the Court that Plaintiff is in need of an enlargement of time to discuss whether or not to stay discovery of the 07civ 7479. Plaintiff did not receive the Court's letter Order until June 18th and requests an enlargement of time to consult with and discuss the matter of staying discovery of the 07civ 7479 with Defendant's counsel Laura Barbieri. Plaintiff will be speaking to Ms. Barbieri today regarding case 05cv 3247 and requires additional time between today's conference call and submitting a letter reply to the Court regarding whether or not to stay discovery of the 07cv 7479 case.

So that both parties may have time to consult with one another regarding whether or not to stay discovery of 07cv7479, Plaintiff respectfully requests until Tuesday June 24, 2008 to submit a letter regarding this matter.

CC. Lucas Burling: By

Respectfully Submitted

James Lastra

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE